

The Office of the Governor **Proclamation**

Executive Department State of Idaho State Capitol Boise

WHEREAS, building safety affects many aspects of Idaho life; and

WHEREAS, because of building safety code enforcement, we enjoy the comfort of structures that are safe and sound; and

WHEREAS, building safety and fire prevention officials work with citizens to address building safety and fire prevention concerns everyday; and

WHEREAS, the dedicated members of the International Code Council, including building safety and fire prevention officials, architects, engineers, and others in the construction industry, develop and enforce the codes that safeguard Idahoans in the buildings where we live, work, play and learn; and

WHEREAS, building safety codes provide safeguards to protect the public from natural disasters that can occur all across the country, such as snowstorms, hurricanes, tornadoes, wildland fires and earthquakes; and

WHEREAS, this years theme, "You Can Be A Part of Building Safety Week," encourages all Idahoans to raise our awareness of building safety and to take appropriate steps to ensure that the places where we live, work, play and learn are safe;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DIRK KEMPTHORNE, Governor of the State of Idaho, do hereby proclaim April 4 through 10, 2004 to be

BUILDING SAFETY WEEK

in Idaho.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Idaho at the Capitol in Boise on this first day of April in the year of our Lord two-thousand and four and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred twenty-eighth and of the Statehood of Idaho the one hundred fourteenth.

DIRK KEMPTHORNE GOVERNOR

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